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## Poet's Corner.

### Gossip.

APPLICABLE TO EVERY TOWN.

'Tis mischief makers that remove  
Far from our hearts the warmth of love,  
And leads us all to disapprove

What gives another pleasure.  
They seem to take our part, but when  
They've heard our cares, unkindly then  
They soon retail them all again,  
Mixed with their poisonous measure!

Oh! that the mischief-making crew  
Were all reduced to one or two,  
And they were painted red or blue.  
That every one might know them.  
Then would our villages forget  
To rage and quarrel, fume and fret,  
And fall into an angry pet  
For things so much below them.

## Selected Story.

### GUELLEN'S LAST DRINK.

#### The Engineer's Confession.

I HAVE traveled the road every day of my life—ever since it was laid—in charge of the "San Francisco," the prettiest and best engine on the line. It was a southwestern road, from A to Z. I had the sweetest little wife in the world, and a baby, the very image of its pa. I had always had a dollar to put by for the rainy day, and the boys spoke of me as an odd kind of man. To be shut up with an engine, watching with all your eyes, heart and soul, doesn't make a conscientious man talkative, and I never squandered my time spinning yarns and listening to jokes in the round house. My wife's name was Josephine, and I called her "Joe."

I never belonged to any of the railway

clubs or organizations, and never would, if it hadn't been for Granby. Granby was a nephew of our division superintendent, and its a failing with us men of the road that we like to be noticed by the fellows at headquarters, if only to touch the hem of their garments. Granby was a showy fellow and often rode with me from A to Z. He had a good opinion of me, and, as far as I know, we were good friends. Once he said to me:

"You ought to belong to the Railway Scientific club, Guelden."

"Never heard of it," said I.

"We meet once a fortnight," he replied, "and have a jolly good time. We want practical, thinking men of your sort, and I'll propose you if you like."

I was fond of such things, and I had ideas that I fancied might be worth something; but the engineer doesn't have many nights or days to himself, and the club would have one evening a fortnight from Joe. I said:

"I will ask her. If she likes it, yes."

"Ask whom," he said.

"Joe," said I.

"If every man had asked his wife, every man's wife would have said, 'can't spare you my dear,'" said Granby.

But I made no answer. At home I told Joe. She said:

"I shall miss you, Ned. But you do love such things, and if Granby belongs to it they must be superior men."

So I said yes, and Granby proposed me. Thursday fortnight I went with him to the rooms. The real business of the evening was the supper.

I had always been a temperate man. I did not know what effect wine would have on me. But coming to drink more of it than I had ever done before, at the club table, I found it put steam on. So after many glasses I wanted to talk; and after so many more, I did.

I seemed like somebody else, the words were so ready. My ideas crept out and they were listened to. I made sharp hits and indulged in repartee, told stories and even puns. I heard somebody say: "Granby, by George, that's a man worth having. I thought him dull at first." Yet I knew it was better to be quiet Ned Guelden, with ten words an hour, than the wine-made wit I was.

I was sure of it, when three months later I stumbled up stairs to find Joe waiting for me with her baby on her breast.

"You've been deceiving me," said Joe. "I suspected it, but was not sure. A scientific club could not smell like a bar-room."

"Which means that I do," said I.

"And look like one," said Joe, as she poked herself and baby in a spare room.

One night I was dressed in my Sunday suit, ready to go to the club, when Joe stood before me.

"Ned," she said, "I never had a fault to find with you before. You have been kind, good and loving always; but I shall be sorry we ever met if you go on in this

way. Don't ask what I mean—you know."

"It's only club night," said I.

"It will grow," she said.

Then she put her arms round my neck.

"Ned," she said, "do you think a thing so like a bolted and strapped down demon as steam is, fit to put into the hands of a drunken man? And some day, mark my words, not only Thursday night, but all the days in the week will be the same. I have often heard you wonder what the feelings of an engineer who has about the same as murdered a train full of people must be, and you will know if you don't stop where you are. A steady hand and a clever head have been your blessing all these years; don't throw them away. Ned, if you don't care for my love, don't ruin yourself."

My little Joe! She spoke from her heart, and I bent over and kissed her.

"Don't be afraid, child, I'll never pain you again."

And I meant it; but at twelve o'clock that night I felt that I had forgotten my promise and my resolution.

I could not go home to Joe. I made up my mind to sleep on the club room sofa, and leave the place for good the next day. Already I felt my brain reel as it had never done before. In an hour I was in a kind of a stupor. It was morning. A waiter stood ready to brush my coat. I saw a grin on his face. My heart seemed ready to burst; my hand trembled; I looked at my watch; I had only five minutes to reach the depot.

Joe's words came to my mind. Was I fit to take charge of an engine? I ought to have asked some sober man. As it was, I only caught my hat and rushed away. I was just in time.

The San Francisco glistened in the sun. The cars filled rapidly. I could hear the people talk—bidding each other good-bye, and promising to come again. Among them was an old gentleman I knew by sight—one of the shareholders, he was bidding two timid girls adieu.

"Good-bye, Katie; good-bye, Lue," I heard him say. "Don't be nervous. The San Francisco is the safest engine on the line and Guelden the most careful engineer. I would not be afraid to trust every mortal to their keeping. Nothing could happen wrong with the two together."

I said, "we'll get through it somehow, and Joe shall never talk to me again." After all, it was easy enough. I reeled as I spoke. I heard the signal. We are off.

Five hours from L. to D; five hours back again. I saw a flutter, and I never guessed what it was until we passed the train at the wrong place. In two minutes we should have had a collision. Somebody told me and I laughed. I heard the shareholder say, respectfully:

"Of course, Mr. Guelden, you know what you are about!"

Then I was alone, and wondering whether I should go faster or slower. I did something, and the cars rushed on at a fearful rate. The same man who had

spoken to me before was standing near me. I heard the question:

"How many miles an hour are you making?"

"I don't know."

Rattle, rattle, rattle! I was trying to slacken the speed of the San Francisco. I could not think what I should do—was it this or that?—faster or slower! I was playing with the engine like a child.

Suddenly there was a terrible roar—crash. I was thrown somewhere. I was in the water. By a miracle I was sobered and not hurt. I gained the shore and gazed on my work.

The engine was in fragments, the cars in splinters. Dead and dying and wounded were strewn around. The maimed cried out in pain; the uninjured bewailed their dead; and a voice unheard by others was in my ear—"Murder!"

The news had gone to A. and the people came thronging down to find their lost ones. Searching for an old man's daughter, I came to a place in the trees and found five bodies lying there in all their rigid horror—an old woman, a young one, a baby and two small children. Was it fancy—was it pure fancy, born of my anguish?—they looked like—oh Heaven! they were my wife, my children; I called them by name. There was no answer. There never would be.

A whistle! Great God. Onward up the track thundered another train. Its red eye glared upon me; I threw myself before it; I felt it crush me to atoms!

"His head is extremely hot," said somebody. I opened my eyes and saw my wife.

"How do you feel?" said she. "A little better?"

I was so astonished and rejoiced at the sight of her that I could not speak at first.

"I must be crushed to pieces," said I, "for the train went over me; but I feel no pain."

"There he goes about that train," said my wife.

Why, I tried to move—there was nothing the matter with me. I was in my room; opposite me was a crib, in which my child was asleep. My wife and child were safe. Was I delirious, or what could it be?

"Joe," I cried, "tell me what has happened."

"It's nine o'clock," said Joe. "You came home from the club in such a state that I could not wake you. You were not fit to manage steam, and risk people's lives. The San Francisco is half way to A, I suppose, and you have been frightening me half to death with your dreadful talk."

It was only a dream, only a dreadful dream. But I had lived through it as though it was a reality.

"Is there a Bible in the house?" said I.

"Are we heathen?" asked Joe.

She brought it, and I put my hand on it and took an oath (too solemn to be repeated here) that what had happened should never occur again. And if the San Francisco ever comes to grief the verdict will not be, as it has been so often, "the engineer was drunk."



## Miscellany.

## EXCITEMENT IN ROCHESTER.

## The Commotion Caused by the Statement of a Physician.

An unusual article from the Rochester N. Y., *Democrat and Chronicle*, was republished in this paper last week and was a subject of much conversation both in professional circles and on the street. Apparently it caused even more commotion in Rochester, as the following from the same paper shows:

"Dr. J. B. Henion, who is well known not only in Rochester, but in nearly every part of America, sent an extended article to this paper, a few days since which was duly published, detailing his remarkable experience and rescue from what seemed to be certain death. It would be impossible to enumerate the personal enquiries which have been made at our office as to the validity of the article, but they have been so numerous that further investigation of the subject was deemed an editorial necessity.

With this end in view a representative of this paper called on Dr. Henion, at his residence on St. Paul street, when the following interview occurred:

"That article of yours Doctor, has created quite a whirlwind. Are the statements about the terrible condition you were in, and the way you were rescued such as you can sustain?"

"Every one of them and many additional ones. Few people ever get so near the grave as I did and then return, and I am not surprised that the public think it marvelous. It was marvelous."

"How in the world did you, a physician, come to be brought so low?"

"By neglecting the first and most simple symptoms. I did not think I was sick. It is true I had frequent headaches; felt tired most of the time; could eat nothing one day and was ravenous the next; felt dull indefinite pains and my stomach was out of order, but I did not think it meant anything serious."

"But have these common ailments anything to do with the fearful Bright's disease which took so firm a hold on you?"

"Anything? Why they are the sure indications of the first stages of that dreadful malady. The fact is, few people know or realize what ails them, and I am sorry to say that too few physicians do either."

"That is a strange statement, Doctor."

"But it is a true one. The medical profession have been treating symptoms instead of diseases for years, and it is high time it ceased. We doctors have been clipping off the twigs when we should strike at the root. The symptoms I have just mentioned or any unusual action or irritation of the water channels indicate the approach of Bright's disease even more than a cough announces the coming of consumption. We do not treat the cough, but try to help the lungs. We should not waste our time trying to relieve the headache, stomach, pains about the body or other symptoms, but go directly to the kidneys the source of most of these ailments."

"This, then, is what you meant when you said that more than one-half the deaths which occur arise from Bright's disease, is it Doctor?"

"Precisely. Thousands of so called diseases are torturing people to-day, when in reality it is Bright's disease in some one of its many forms. It is a Hydra-headed monster, and the slightest symptoms should strike terror to every one who has them. I can look back and recall hundreds of deaths which physicians declared at the time were caused by paralysis, apoplexy, heart disease, pneumonia, malarial fever and other common complaints which I see now were caused by Bright's disease."

"And did all these cases have simple symptoms at first?"

"Every one of them, and might have been cured as I was by the timely use of the same remedy—Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. I am getting my eyes thoroughly opened in the matter and think I am helping others to see the facts and their possible danger also. Why, there are no end of truths bearing on this

subject. If you want to know more about it go and see Mr. Warner himself. He was sick the same as I, and is the healthiest man in Rochester to-day. He has made a study of this subject and can give you more facts than I can. Go, too, and see Dr. Lattimore, the chemist, at the University. If you want facts there are any quantity of them showing the alarming increase of Bright's disease, its simple and deceptive symptoms, and that there is but one way by which it can be escaped."

Fully satisfied of the truth and force of the doctor's words, the reporter bade him good day and called on Mr. Warner at his establishment on Exchange street. At first Mr. Warner was inclined to be reticent, but learning that the information desired was about the alarming increase of Bright's disease, his manner changed instantly and he spoke very earnestly:

"It is true that Bright's disease has increased wonderfully, and we find, by reliable statistics, that in the past ten years its growth has been 250 per cent. Look at the prominent men it has carried off: Everett, Sumner, Chase, Wilson, Carpenter, Bishop Haven and others. This is terrible and shows a greater growth than that of any other known complaint. It must be plain to every one that something must be done to check this increase or there is no knowing where it may end."

"Do you think many people are afflicted with it to-day who do not realize it, Mr. Warner?"

"Hundreds of thousands. I have a striking example of this truth which has just come to my notice. A prominent professor in a New Orleans medical college was lecturing before his class on the subject of Bright's disease. He had various fluids under microscopic analysis and was showing the students what the indications of this terrible malady were. In order to draw the contrast between healthy and unhealthy fluids he had provided a vial the contents of which were drawn from his own person. 'And now, gentlemen,' he said, 'as we have seen the unhealthy indications, I will show you how it appears in a state of perfect health,' and he submitted his own fluid to the usual test. As he watched the results his countenance suddenly changed—his color and command both left him and in a trembling voice he said: 'Gentlemen, I have made a painful discovery; I have Bright's disease of the kidneys,' and in less than a year he was dead."

"You believe then that it has no symptoms of its own and is frequently unknown even by the person who is afflicted with it?"

"It has no symptoms of its own and very often none at all. Usually no two people have the same symptoms, and frequently death is the first symptom. The slightest indication of any kidney difficulty should be enough to strike terror to any one. I know what I am talking about for I have been through all the stages of kidney disease."

"You know of Dr. Henion's case?"

"Yes I have both read and heard of it."

"It is very wonderful is it not?"

"A very prominent case, but no more so than a great many others that have come to my notice as having been cured by the same means."

"You believe then that Bright's disease can be cured?"

"I know it can. I know it from the experience of hundreds of prominent persons who were given up to die by both their physicians and friends."

"You speak of your own experience, what was it?"

"A fearful one. I had felt languid and unfitted for business for years, but I didn't know what ailed me. When, however, I found it was kidney difficulty I thought there was little hope and so I did the doctors. I have since learned that one of the physicians of this city pointed me out to a gentleman on the street one day, saying: 'there goes a man who will be dead within a year.' I believe his words would have proven true if I had not fortunately secured and used the remedy now known as Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure."

"And this caused you to manufacture it?"

"No, it caused me to investigate. I went to the principal cities with Dr. Craig

the discoverer, and saw the physicians prescribing and using it and saw that Dr. Craig was unable with his facilities, to supply the medicine to thousands who wanted it. I therefore determined, as a duty I owed humanity and the suffering, to bring it within their reach and now it is known in every part of America, is sold in every drug store and has become a household necessity."

The reporter left Mr. Warner, much impressed with the earnestness and sincerity of his statements and next paid a visit to Dr. S. A. Lattimore at his residence on Prince Street. Dr. Lattimore, although busily engaged upon some matters connected with the State Board of Health, of which he is one of the analysts, courteously answered the questions that were propounded him:

"Did you make a chemical analysis of the case of Mr. H. H. Warner some three years ago, Doctor?"

"Yes sir."

"What did this analysis show you?"

"The presence of albumen and tube casts in great abundance."

"And what did the symptoms indicate?"

"A serious disease of the kidneys."

"Did you think Mr. Warner could recover?"

"No sir. I did not think it possible. It was seldom, indeed, that so pronounced a case had, up to that time, ever been cured."

"Do you know anything about the remedy which cured him?"

"Yes, I have chemically analyzed it and upon critical examination, find it entirely free from any poisonous or deleterious substances."

We publish the foregoing statements in view of the commotion which the publicity of Dr. Henion's article has caused and to meet the protestations which have been made. The standing of Dr. Henion, Mr. Warner and Dr. Lattimore in the community is beyond question and the statements they make, cannot for a moment be doubted. They conclusively show that Bright's disease of the kidneys is one of the most deceptive and dangerous of all diseases, that it is exceedingly common, alarmingly increasing and that it can't be cured.

A perpendicular old rock which rises in the middle of Lake Champlain, near Plattsburg, is called Little Independence, in reference to the belief that during the struggle for independence the British squadron passed close to the old rock. Mistaking it for a vessel, the commander hailed it, but received no reply. He hailed again, louder than before; still the rock was silent. "Hang the Yankee," muttered the commander; "give him a broadside." The broadside was fired accordingly, but the shot poured back from its side among his own men. "That's your game is it?" said the commander, "give them another;" which they did, and again the old rock hurled back the British shot. It was only as the light grew stronger that the commander recognized the nature of his antagonist, and then he withdrew to St. Johns to rest.

A minister had a negro in his family. One Sunday, when he was preaching, he happened to look in the pew where the negro was, and could hardly contain himself as he saw the negro, who could not read or write a word, scribbling away most industriously. After meeting, he said to the negro: "Tom, what were you doing in church?" "Taking notes, massa; all de gemmen takes notes." "Bring your notes here and let me see them." Tom brought his notes, which looked more like Chinese than English. "Why, Tom, this is all nonsense." "I thought so, massa, all the time you was preaching it."

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Mangels and Kohl Rabi,	2	8
Straw,	2	16
Potatoes,	3	17
Brewers' Grains,	6	13
Rice Meal,	6	77
Hay (early cut),	8	50
Millet (seed),	8	76
Buckwheat,	9	60
Malt,	9	76
Rye,	11	72
Oats,	12	63
Corn,	12	68
Wheat and Barley,	12	67
Dried Brewers' Grains,	16	70
Linseed,	23	92
Linseed Cake,	28	56
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Rape cake,	31	53
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O. M. MOORE, EDITOR &amp; PROPRIETOR.

Our delinquent subscribers need not be greatly surprised this week if they receive a polite note from our friend, the lawyer. During the past three months we have done all we could to notify each and every one whose subscription was due. We have even given a month more time than we promised, and now still another. There are yet over 200 delinquents who have made no response whatever, owing from \$1.00 to \$3.00 each. We have fought long and hard to make the PHONO. live, and cannot now afford to relinquish our just claim to these subscriptions, aggregating some \$300.00. This amount will provide just the new press we want, and must have, to make the PHONO. what it is destined to be—against fate. Please observe, friends, that the lawyer says, "if the bills are paid in April, no costs will be made," and be governed accordingly.

We are pleased to note that the editors of the Chronicle have joined their local temperance society, the Good Templars. The paper also says some true things about the local cause of temperance. The state of intemperance among the young men of this country is positively alarming, and it is time the older people take hold with the young who have so far sustained the lodges of Good Templars in this county—the only organization we know of for this work, at the present among us. What has become of the Temperance Alliance, so auspiciously started little more than a year ago? It is probably dead, and so will half of our lodges be dead before fall, if the fathers and mothers do not come out and help sustain them.

During the summer months much inconvenience has been felt by visiting sportsmen and tourists here, who have desired to intercept mail at the Phillips office which might be in transit to Rangeley. The orders from the P. O. department have heretofore prohibited this accommodation by the postmaster, and that worthy generally took the compliments (?) rather than the P. M. General. Through the efforts of Postmaster Robinson, the order has been revoked in this case, and hereafter, by complying with certain instructions, mail may be intercepted here, through the good grace of the Postmaster, though of course it is not compulsory upon him. It will be a great accommodation, however.

Our paper is issued early in the afternoon of Friday. The telegraphic news published to-day is the same which appears in the morning papers of to-day (Friday) and which arrive here at night.

The man who never gets "fooled," must naturally be a fool already. We've been fooled. Saturday, while suffering with sick-headache, and a boil, and other minor difficulties, we were called from a peaceful nap to answer the energetic calls for "Po.," the telegraphic signal for Phillips. A message was sent in due form, as follows:

BOSTON Mass., April 1.  
[To John Pratt, Phillips, Me.  
Andrew Pratt returned. I leave for Ogdensburg on local.  
Sig.

MICHAEL QUINN.  
John Pratt didn't live here, so we reported to the Portland repeating office accordingly. We were told to read the first letters of each of the nine words in the body of the message. We did so, and if you must know the joke, do as we did. But you haven't any boil on the back of your neck to interfere with your laughing.

The Pacific Mills, of Lawerance, Mass., which have been suffering a general strike of operatives, has for the past nineteen years declared a dividend averaging \$500,000 per year—aggregating \$9,525,000. The operatives steueck recently, against a reduction of wages. Thus labor and capital are clashing again, and other strikes are being inaugurated throughout the country. The laboring men and women of this country, for intellect and general business capacity, rank not far below the monied monopolies themselves, and when their rights as faithful workmen are trampled upon, like the boys of Boston Common, they'll not brook it. "Corporations have no souls!" else they would not be so greedy. We hope the day will come when the workmen will get what he earns, or enough of it to make a fair thing between capital and labor.

Last week the Farmington Herald reiterated the statement that papers are being circulated here and at Strong, towards the object of repudiating the railroad debt. Our people stigmatize these reports malignantly and maliciously false, and we venture the assertion that if there are the remotest grounds for such base charges, they are in the hands of none others than demagogues and dyed-in-the-wool Greenbakers. At our late town meeting there was but one voice against the question of paying the railroad debt at the rate of \$1,000 dollars per year. We challenge the proof of your statement, Mr. Herald.

Ehrich's Fashion quarterly, the spring number, has been received, and is just what the ladies want. It is full of household hints and useful information, as well as stories, poetry, etc. Altogether we cordially recommend the *Fashion Quarterly* to our readers. It is a useful, well-conducted family magazine, and at its price of fifty cents a year, should find no lack of subscribers. The publishers are Ehrich Bros., of Eight Avenue, New York.

Governor Plaisted has appointed Thursday of next week, as Fast Day. The members of the Council, out of respect to his excellency, will please bear it in mind and totally abstain for the day.

The Farmington Herald is wedded to the adage, "a lie well stuck to, etc.," we judge, from the repetition of rumored repudiation movements in Phillips and Strong.

The President has vetoed the Chinese prohibition bill.

## Latest Telegraphic News.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate Thursday. Henry M. Teller, of Colorado, Secretary of the Interior; William E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, Secretary of the Navy; William H. Hunt, of Louisiana, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Russia; Roland Worthington, Editor of the Boston Traveller, Collector of Customs for the District of Boston and Charlestown, and W. B. Underwood, Surveyor of Customs for the District of Boston and Charlestown; Daniel Hall, Naval officer, of Customs, same district; Fritz J. Babsom, Collector of Customs for the District of Gloucester, Mass.; John Jay Knox, of Minnesota, Comptroller of the Currency.

Alfred Rice placed Paris green in the flour used in the family of Jared Howard, keeper at the town farm in Bennington, Vt., and was detected in attempting to poison the meal fed the horses. Investigations prevented fatal consequences.—The lad was sent to the State Reform School.

An Albany, N. Y., dispatch says the Baker railway collision bill passed to third reading in the assembly Thursday, all amendments being defeated. This gives the Governor the appointment of the commission.

A despatch from St. Joseph, Missouri, gives the particulars of the death of Jesse James, the train robber. In a small frame shanty in the southeast part of the city, on the hill, Jesse James has lived with his wife since some time in November last. Robert and Charles Ford, two of his gang, have made their headquarters at his house. Charles, it is said, has lived with him in the shanty ever since November; Robert arrived about ten days ago; and the three have been making preparations for a raiding expedition, on which they were to start Monday night. James and the two Fords were in the front room together about nine o'clock Monday morning. James took off his belt and laid his pistols on the bed, preparing to wash himself, when Robert Ford sprang up behind him and sent a bullet through his brain. The ball entered the back of his head to the right of the base of the brain, coming out over the eye. The Ford brothers at once made known what they had done, and gave themselves up. The Fords claim that they are detectives and that they have been on James' track for a long time. It is believed that they were with James in the Blue Cut train robbery, and that they were influenced in killing him by the hope of getting the big reward which has been offered for James, dead or alive, by the Governor and by the express and railroad companies. Robert Ford is about twenty-two years of age, and looks like a verdant youth from the country. In appearance he is a mere boy, and is the last person in the world to be taken for a slayer of the famous outlaw.

A Morgan City, Louisiana, despatch says the situation at that point is decidedly critical. The water continues to rise rapidly, having gained 5 1-2 inches in two hours. The water has reached the eaves of many dwellings and some of them have floated from their foundations. Governor McEnery has been notified that 500 people will need rations at Morgan City. The people at Helena will need rations for several weeks. The cattle there are dying of starvation and from the stings of gnats. At New Iberia the water is the highest ever known. Eleven houses were floated off at Grand River.

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of Gen. Peyton Wise, by Tyler & McCue, tobacco dealers, Richmond, Va., on the charge of being about to engage in a breach of the peace. The difficulty originated in a discussion before the legislative committee on a bill in regard to the tobacco inspection laws, in which Wise denounced McCue as a systematic thief. McCue has just been arrested. The officers are seeking Wise.

The effect of the President's veto probably will be an amendment of the bill so as to provide for a suspension of Chinese immigration for ten instead of twenty years.

The American minister to Vienna has arrived at Constantinople from Alexandria. In an interview with Minister Phelps the Khedive said he did not hesitate to express his preference for American sympathy and cooperation over that which had been offered from all sources. Referring to American schools and colleges he said America gave but asked nothing, while other nations asked everything and gave nothing.

Senator Frye, of Maine, says that the republicans can fairly claim the support of the temperance men this fall, because republican Senators have passed a resolution for the appointment of a commission to investigate the alcoholic liquor traffic, which has been waiting before Congress the six years during which the democrats had control of the House.

The board of trustees of the Maine Insane Hospital elected R. W. Soule of Readfield steward and treasurer of the institution, in place of C. B. Lakin, resigned. Mr. Soule has occupied a similar position at the Maine Wesleyan Seminary, Kent's Hill, and is thoroughly qualified for the position.

The California papers think the anti-Chinese bill will pass over the veto, and think the California people will hold on awhile before declaring a war of races; but the war has already begun. A mob drove a number of Chinamen from a railroad grading, Tuesday.

A large fire occurred in Hopkinton, Mass., on Tuesday morning. A big shoe factory, owned by Clafin, Coburn & Co., of Boston, and other buildings, were burned. The loss will aggregate \$350,000. Insurance \$200,000. The fire was incendiary.

An invaluable strengthener for the nerves, muscles, and digestive organs, producing strength and appetite, is Brown's Iron Bitters.

The House election committee decided in favor of Lynch, colored, against Chalmers, democrat of Mississippi.

About one million and a half tons of ice were secured in this State, this season.

Poet Longfellow's will leaves all of his property to his children.

Death to rats and vermin, Parsons Exterminator.

STRONG.—Friday A. M. the following question was discussed in the May school. Resolved, that all young men having common ability should receive a college education. Disputants, Aff. Owen Hardy, Frank Gilman. Neg. John Wheeler, Albert E. Blanchard. Decided in favor of the negative by a majority of five. In the afternoon nearly all of the scholars went on an excursion to South Strong; a walk of about a half mile from "Maplewood" station brought them to the house of Mr. George Hunter. Mr. Hunter had previously invited them to visit him and partake of maple syrup and candy. They were treated on these sweets to their hearts content. It was a gay affair and was enjoyed by every one present. Mr. Hunter has already made about 75 gallons of Maple syrup. He will long be remembered by the scholars and will receive their esteem for his generosity. There are now 47 scholars attending the school, minus what is sick. Some of them come from a long distance. One young lady from Lubec, Me., and one from Exeter, Me., J. C. K.

"In everything it is best to be fair and candid," says the Chronicle, and we judge so, by some few candid remarks which precede the quotation.

People who let the little things of every-day life interfere with personal friendship, must be rather small-minded.

Could our enemies only know how much we have foreborn toward them, how would their hatred be penetrated by remorse.



## Local Notes.

—April fools are keeping dark.

—Robins made their appearance Tuesday.

—Have you started your tomato plants yet?

—A freedom notice is published in another column.

—Dr. and Mrs. Kimball, of Gardiner, are in town.

—The village doctors have donned their summer gigs.

—Some two inches of snow have fallen at Farmington, to-day.

—Social morning calls are now in order, while the walking is good.

—Z. T. H's letter, in the extra, should be dated Winthrop, as usual.

—J. Henry Dow, of Avon, is now employed at West Farmington.

—Miss Rosie Carver, of Dixfield, is visiting her brother of the PHONO.

—Mr. Brown, of the meat market, has a horse laid up with a sprained foot.

—H. A. Hunter is about building an addition to the Toothaker house, up town.

—Wagons made their appearance on our streets for the first time, on Tuesday.

—Those who can, just enjoy excursions and sliding on the crust, these fine mornings.

—The boys who have spent their vacation in the woods, have nearly all returned ere this.

—The Post-office chimney had a good, clean burn-out this morning, but the Cap'n didn't know it.

—Last month's freight business, for the Phillips station, was the largest by far of any month yet.

—After this week, the morning mail, at the Phillips Postoffice, will not be closed till morning—6.15.

—W. F. Fuller presents a new advertisement to-day. He has a large quantity of phosphate on hand.

—The Methodist circle will meet with Mrs. Wormwell, Thursday evening, April 13th. All are invited.

—The Chronicle is tardy with its compliments to the Wilton Record. Never to late to mend, however.

—The snow and ice are just "hurrying up their cakes" to get out of the way of the coming summer's sun.

—C. S. Robbins, who was visiting here last summer, writes he has sold his fast horse, brother to "Dispatch."

—A postoffice has been established at Haines Landing, Rangeley, and C. T. Richardson is the Postmaster.

—Maple syrup will be "skeerce," in this region, this spring; in fact the weather has almost "spiled" the harvest already.

—Old Prob's predicted rain-storm arrived here Thursday night, in the shape of some snow, some hail, and more rain.

—Our extra to-day contains a letter from Z. T. Haines, Esq., another from Madrid, and various other articles of interest.

—Observe the new advertisement, on the 3d page, over the signature of G. A. French. He offers special sales for twenty days.

—George Pickens and George Hayden, who have been in North Attleboro, Mass., for the past winter, returned here Wednesday.

—C. C. Dow, of Avon, who lost a nice steer, a few weeks since, has one of another yoke that was rendered blind by the same trouble.

—A Mr. Osmore, formerly of Farmington, has moved into a house on the east side, and is to run the engine for Russell Bros., we learn.

—A genuine April shower got strayed away among the mountains, last Sunday, and thunder, lightning, hail and rain were rampant for a brief spell.

—Some of the former sick ones, we are glad to see, are once more enjoying out door life: Mrs. W. T. Fuller, Mrs. Dr. Winter and Mrs. F. E. Howard have been enjoying the spring weather of the past few days.

—An item from Strong reads very much like one in the Herald, over the same signature. We are thankful for these favors, but they might be varied a little.

—Captain Robinson has leased the room over the Post-office, formerly occupied by the PHONO., and it will at once be fitted up for some new enterprise, not yet named.

—Whiting says the Chronicle and PHONO. have "made up." Most papers are "made up" every issue. This is all the make up we're sure of. Hope it is so, however.

—We have a fine complimentary notice of the past two or three numbers of the Farmington "Age," but of course can't conscientiously publish it till we have seen the magazines!

—Capt. Robinson shows commendable enterprise in fixing up the old Post-office building. The room overhead is now undergoing thorough repair, painting, papering, white-washing, etc.

—Friend Sawyer, P. A., went to ride in a sleigh, and the horse went off with a rush—went over a jounce, gave Prince the grand bounce, and he landed, ker-slap, in the slush! "Oh, my soul!"

—One of the men who went off the trestle in the late railroad accident, was thrown from a hand-car lately, by the crank catching his coat. The wheels also went over him. He still lives.

—We were never addicted to wearing a comforter upon the neck, in any weather; but when a fellow is under the weather, with one of Job's comforters to keep his neck warm—why, he isn't all he seems, quite.

—As a result of advertising, we will say that a notice of the turned sap spiles, kept by W. F. Fuller, brought an order from the Mayor of a Massachusetts city for two spiles, as he had a couple of trees which he desired to tap. Henlock, probably.

—Parties in distant cities, who kindly favor us with cards, saying, "when in town, call and we will pay that subscription," are reminded that we are "in town"—this town—most of the time, and they can mail the dollar at our risk. And send it right in, please.

—In compliance with the wishes of others, Rev. M. B. Greenhalge will repeat his sermon, "Race between Orthodoxy and Liberalism," next Sabbath evening at the M. E. church, at 7 o'clock. It will be revised and improved in thought, with additional facts and figures and treated with becoming candor. "Come let us reason together."

—A blister, "bigger'n two leaves out'n a four dollar dictionary," on a serviceable part of one of the cadual extremities, is the secret of the watery appearance of some of these items; while a departing "Job's comforter" in the place of a paper collar, has added fuel to the consuming brain force, which promulgates the occasionally rheumatic pen.

—Friend Moore, has your knee pained you so bad that you have forgotten we had a N. G. R. R. running in full blast from Phillips to Farmington? If so, I wish to remind you what was done on the road during the month of March, 1882, in the freight line: To and from Phillips, 1,181,175, lbs. To and from Strong, 664,124 lbs. Total, 1,845,299 lbs. R. R.

—Some of the young people connected with the Farmington Lodge of Good Templars, visited Phillips, Friday evening of last week, and presented the interpretation of the comedy "Esmaralda." A fair audience greeted them, some 60 or 75 coming from Farmington and Strong. After the play, a dance in the adjoining hall occupied the hours till one o'clock, when the excursionists returned over the railroad.

—We wouldn't give a cent to enjoy anything all alone—not even a lame knee. So our right hand man, Carver, has taken to the house, sick with a bad cold. Made our first trip to the office Wednesday, and made up a form of the paper, accomplishing the feat in "Journalism" of lugging the editor around on two sticks, both hands full of type. Now if the d—l takes sick, we shall have to let the job out for a week or two to some other family.

—In Z. T. H's letter of last week, our typo placed him on the wrong side of the second person. "I and Henry," should have been reversed.

—Albert L. Bradbury, of Avon, has sold his farm to Nathaniel Worthley, though Mr. B. retains the use of the maple orchard for the present season.

—Whiting, of the Herald, says he was up here a week or two since, with some of the boys, and here is what he has to say for our Elmwood House: "No hotel in the State presents a more homelike appearance or provides better for its guests, than the Elmwood. The rooms are perfectly clean and airy and the beds furnished with the springiest of mattresses, the cleanest of linen and the most downy pillows. Friend Page knows how to keep a hotel, and we doubt if a man ever left his house dissatisfied."

—The next meeting of Phillips Lodge, I. O. G. T. will be held Monday evening of next week, at a room in the block, the hour of meeting being as near 7.30 as possible. The Grand Lodge meets at Augusta Wednesday, and it is necessary to choose delegates to attend. There is also a sum of money to be disposed of, and it is hoped all members of the Lodge will attend. It is about time, also, the older people of Phillips should ally themselves with this or some other temperance movement. It is now necessary to the life of the Lodge. Let our ministers, if they care more for the protection of the young men, than for old cider; the fathers and mothers, if they are not sure of the safety of their children—come and join the Lodge, even next Monday evening. This is an important matter. Who will slight it wilfully?

Whereas, The Great Master above has seen fit in his wisdom to call to mourn the family of Bro. Seth Johnson, and the family of our Worthy Overseer Bro. Benj. Johnson, therefore,

Resolved, That we the members of No. Franklin Grange extend to our brothers and sisters, who have been called to mourn the loss of a daughter, our heartfelt sympathy in this sad hour of bereavement, and that in token of our sympathy we present each family with a copy of this resolution and that we now close our Grange and go to our several homes hoping and praying that our Heavenly Father may bless and lighten the burden which he in his wisdom has seen fit to call upon them.

## Rangeley.

Quite a number of new houses are to be built here this spring. G. W. Young has sold a number of house-lots. Why is it that Rangeley should grow so fast? It is because a large number of sportsmen come here every year, and it is their money that does it. Deny it who can.

The Totmans, of Fairfield, with forty men and seventeen horses arrived Sunday, from their lumbering regions on the headwaters of Dead River. They have broke camp and were en route for home. They have been very successful the past winter.

In behalf of Oquossoc Lodge, I. O. G. T., we extend an invitation through the PHONO. to the District Lodge to meet here in June. Come with them, Mr. Editor, for you know how to enjoy an oyster stew!

A heavy shower passed over this place last Sunday accompanied by thunder and lightning which made the old mountains tremble. Now we have warm weather and prospects of an early spring.

Landlord Kimball and family return to the Mountain View House this week, to put their house in order for spring business.

Richardson Bros. & Grant are making improvements at Kennebago.

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Dr. J. H. SCHENCK, of Philadelphia, has just published a book on "diseases of the lungs and how they can be cured," which is offered free, postpaid, to all applicants. It contains valuable information for all who suppose themselves afflicted with, or liable to, any diseases of the throat or lungs. Address DR. J. H. SCHENCK & SON, 600 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. P. O. Box 233. 34.

**NOTICE:**

THAT I have this day given my adopted son, Lucian Warren, his time during the remainder of his minority, to act for himself, and I shall claim none of his earnings nor pay any debts of his contracting after this date. J. W. WARREN.

Witness: William Shepard.  
Sandy River Apr. 5, 1882.

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## A Brave Lady.

She Endures the Pain of a Severe Surgical Operation Without Taking Chloroform.  
(From the Courier.)

Mrs. Schoonmaker, of Creek Locks, Ulster Co., N. Y., had the misfortune to entirely lose the sight of one of her eyes, through an accident, and endured painful inflammatory action therein for two long years; the other eye finally becoming sympathetically affected her health seriously suffering; indeed she was a mere wreck, a walking skeleton. In this terrible strait she consulted Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who told her at once that the injured eye must be removed. She quietly but firmly said: "All right, Doctor, but don't give me chloroform. Let my husband sit by my side during the operation, and I will neither cry out or stir." The work was done, and the poor woman kept her word. Talk of soldierly courage! This showed greater pluck than it takes to face a hundred guns. To restore her general health and give tone and strength to the system, Dr. Kennedy then gave the "Favorite Remedy," which cleansed the blood and imparted new life to the long suffering woman. She rapidly gained health and strength, and is now well. The "Favorite Remedy" is a priceless blessing to women. No family should be without it. Your druggist has it. If not send to Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, New York. 4129

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F. C. DOLLEY, M. D.

FARMINGTON, ME., Jan. 28th, 1880.

KITTREDGE'S MEDICAMENTUM has been spoken very highly of by those that have been using it. I have known some instances of its being used very beneficially in cases of epileptic fits, and internally for other diseases. Externally for wounds it has produced very good results. I think it would prove a valuable remedy if it could be brought into use for those diseases to which it is adapted. J. L. BLAKE, M. D.

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## News of the Week.

Four hundred moulders at Paterson, N. J., are out on a strike.

Last week 13,696 immigrants poured into Castle Garden, New York.

There were nine new cases of small pox in So. Bethlehem, Pa., Monday.

The Republicans in Yankton, D. T., elected their ticket by 100 majority.

Great excitement exists at Trinity College over the hazing of three sophomores by seniors.

A dispatch from Amsterdam, N. Y., reports two shocks of earthquake there Sunday morning.

The Hanlan-Boyd race rowed on the Tyne, England, Monday, was easily won by the former.

Owing to the strike the Sagamore mills at Fall River have shut down for an indefinite period.

The steamer Lake Winnipeg from New York which arrived at Liverpool March 30, lost 55 cattle.

Baidget McCann, burned last Friday at Lowell by the overturning of a kerosene lamp, died, aged 70.

About 300 house painters in Providence, R. I., have demanded 50 cents additional per day and are on a strike.

Half of the business portion of Dayton, Washington Territory, was burned Sunday night. Loss not ascertained.

Mrs. Mary Andrews died in Camden on the 25th of March at the advanced age of ninety-six years, one month and five days.

James Gordon Bennett, subscribed \$10,000 to the actors' fund, for which performances were held at several theatres in New York.

The democrats in the House, Monday, filibustered and prevented the assignment of the bill extending the national bank charters.

Hon. James G. Blaine has been invited to address the National Educational Association, at the meeting to be held at Saratoga, N. Y.

Charles Jameson, who was arrested at Kokomo, for theft and rape on a three years old child, was taken from the jail by a mob, and hanged.

Mayor Green has removed the three police commissioners of Boston and announced he will appoint Samuel Adams, Charles J. Prescott and Mr. Wales.

A fire at Hopkinton, Mass., destroyed thirteen dwellings, also the Orthodox church, town hall, a hotel and large boot factory employing one thousand hands.

At the petty session at Gart, county Galway, Ireland, a priest named O'Higgins was committed for trial upon charge of inciting to murder. He was escorted to jail by cavalry.

It looks as if Great Britain was to be seriously invited to give reasons for arresting Irish-American citizens and jailing them without even giving a definite reason therefor, or giving the accused person a speedy and fair trial.

The Democrats carried the municipal elections in Cincinnati and Columbus, Ohio, Indianapolis, and Bridgeport, Connecticut, Monday. The Republicans carried Calais, Maine, Hartford, Connecticut, and Yankton, Dakota.

A fire at Otter Lake, Lapeer county, Mich., Sunday, destroyed four and a half million feet of lumber belonging to S. J. Murphy and others and burned some twenty buildings. Fifteen families are rendered homeless. Loss \$75,000.

At Kansas City, Mo., April 4th, officer Jones arrested two negroes one evening and one of them shot Jones. While the negro was being taken to the station, a mob collected, secured the negro murderer, and hung him from Bluff street Bridge.

The London Times's Paris correspondent says General Ignatieff, the Russian minister of the interior, professes to have information that a treaty exists between Germany and Sweden according to which in the event of war between Russia and Germany, Sweden will lend her fleet to the latter, receiving Finland if the allies are victorious.

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WESTFIELD, MASS., March 28, 1881.

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Truly yours, T. F. MCMAIN.

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15c. boxes clear out Rats, Mice, Roaches, Flies, Ants, Mosquitoes, Bed-Bugs, Insects, Skunk, Weasel, Crows, Gophers, Chipmunks.

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CHAPIN'S BUCHU-PAIBA.—A quick, complete cure for Catarrh of the Bladder, Urinary, Kidney and Bladder Diseases, in male or female, Paralysis, Diabetes, Gravel, Difficulty of holding or passing Urine, Gleet, Brick Dust, Gonorrhea, Inaction, Turbid Urine, Milky and other deposits, Stricture, Stinging, Smarting, Irritation, Inflammation, Whites, Impure or Diseased Discharges, Pains in the Back and Thighs, Dragging Down, Dripping, Ulcers, Tumors, &c. \$1. at druggists, or by express, prepaid, \$1.25.

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## Miscellaneous.

Lord Dufferin relates with great gusto that when he came home from India to get married he found no carriage awaiting him at the little Irish railway station, and he had to hire a common jaunting car. Going along he asked the driver if there was any news. "Nothing," said he, "except that pretty Kate Hamilton is going to marry that one-eyed Dufferin."

I always keep your medicines in stock. Downs' Elixir is selling better than any Cough Medicine I have and with good results.

C. M. Smith, Druggist, Clarkston, Mich. Dr. Baxter's Mandrake Bitters give the best satisfaction of any medicine I sell. They have advertised themselves, and I warrant every bottle. N. DeKrief, Apr. Druggist, Zeeland, Mich.

Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment, for external use is equally good.

Electricity is a wonderful thing. There is an electric hair-brush warranted to make the hair grow and cure headache, and an electric flesh brush that will cure several other ills that flesh is heir to; and now if some fellow will bring out an electric clothes brush that will make an old suit of clothes look and wear like new, he can sell thousands at a dollar apiece, or three for two dollars.

IF YOU ARE SICK, READ the Kidney-Wort advertisement in another column, and it will explain to you the rational method of getting well. Kidney-Wort will save you more doctor's bills than any other medicine known. Acting with specific energy on the kidneys and liver, it cures the worst diseases caused by their derangement. Use it at once. In dry and liquid form. Either is equally efficient, the liquid is the easiest, but the dry is the most economical.—Interior.

An observant foreigner said when a great man dies in the United States, the first thing done is to propose a fine statute in his honor; next, to raise part of the necessary money; next, to forget to order any statute, and last to wonder what become of the money.

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It requires no little learning to be correct, no little study to be simple, and a great command of language to be plain. It is your uneducated, or at best, half-educated men who confound their audiences with great puffings of vanity and exhibitions of bombast.

WHAT EVERYBODY WANTS.—Is a reliable medicine that never does any harm and that prevents and cures disease by keeping the stomach in order, the bowels regular, and the kidneys and liver active. Such a medicine is Parker's Ginger Tonic. It relieve every case, and has cured thousands. See other column.—Tribune. 34

Some men fill the air with their strength and sweetness, as the orchards in October fill the air with the ripe fruit. Some women cling to their own houses like the honeysuckle over the door, yet, like it, fill all the region with the subtle fragrance of their goodness.

A VALUABLE ADDITION.—Because it is beneficial to the scalp and adds to personal beauty by restoring color and lustre to gray or faded hair, is why Parker's Hair Balsam is such a popular dressing. 34

Great men like comets are eccentric in their courses, and cannot be understood, but they leave a train of light behind them.

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THE NEW BLOOD PURIFIER  
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Operates with Energy upon the Kidneys, Liver, Bowels, and Pores of the Skin, Neutralizing, Absorbing, and Expelling Scrofulous, Cancerous, and Canker Humors

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Phillips, Jan. 19, 1882.

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## Fun and Physic.

The first brigade of Illinois militia is without a general. This accounts for the sassy attitude of Europe.

How can you remain a sufferer from dyspepsia when worse cases than yours are being cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it.

"What comes after T?" asked of a pupil who was learning the alphabet. He received the bewildering reply, "You do—to see 'Liza."

A DELIGHTFUL NOVELTY.—Ladies prefer Floreston Cologne because they find this lasting combination of exquisite perfumes a delightful novelty. 4w31

Teacher—"And how do you know, my dear, that you have been christened?" Scholar—"Please, mum, 'cos I got the marks on me arm, now, mum."

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Croup, Influenza, Consumption, and all diseases of the Throat, Lungs and Chest. 50 cents and \$1 a bottle. 1y12

Last week a Whitehall gentleman viewing the St. Patrick procession in New York, overheard a footman say: "Bedad! the whiskey sellers roides the horses, but the whiskey drinkers goes a-fut."

"I cannot recommend 'ELIXIR OF LIFE ROCT' too highly. It has entirely cured me of Kidney Complaint of five years' standing. 'Yours &c., R. A. Somes."

Thousands of others testify the same.

The Gothic style of handwriting, now so popular among young ladies may have its disadvantages. It is said that a young man who received a specimen of it, could not tell for the life of him whether it was "Yes, with pleasure," or "No, thank you," or a sketch of a picket fence.

Peruvian Syrup cures Dyspepsia, General Debility, Liver Complaint, Boils, Itch, Chronic Diarrhoea, Nervous Affections, Female Complaints, and all diseases originating in a bad state of the blood. 1y12

A lady in Rochester painted a plaque in the most exquisite manner, and expressed it to a friend. Soon after a note of acknowledgement came, in which the lady stated that, "It is altogether too nice to use every day, so I only use it for a bread plate when we have company."

We are strongly disposed to regard that person as the best physician who does most to alleviate human suffering. Judged from this standard, Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., is entitled to the front rank, for her Vegetable Compound is daily working wonderful cures in female diseases. Send for circular to the above address. 2t31

"Oh! yes," said Mrs. D., as she surveyed with evident pleasure her little parlor sideboard, covered with old china and decorated with highly-colored tiles. "Mr. B. remarked last night that I was becoming quite an atheist," and the old lady's countenance fairly beamed with delight as her eyes rested on a 16-cent Japanese teapot.

AN OLD DOCTOR'S ADVICE.—It was this: "Trust in God and keep your bowels open." For this purpose many an old doctor has advised the habitually constipated to take Kidney-Wort—for no other remedy so effectually overcomes this condition, and that without the distress and griping which other medicines cause. It is a radical cure for piles. Don't fail to use it.—Translated from the New Yorker Zeitung.

In a Western town recently the "star" who shoots the apple off a man's head, missed his cue and killed the apple-holder. The audience was so delighted that it demanded an encore, and the manager came forward and said that owing to the prodigious expense of shipping a corpse East they would be obliged to reluctantly forego a repetition.

WORTH REMEMBERING.—Now that good times are again upon us, it is worth remembering that no one can enjoy the pleasantest surroundings if in bad health. There are hundreds of miserable people going about to-day with disordered stomach, liver or kidneys, when a bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic would do them more good than all the medicines they have ever tried. 4w31

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# CROCKERY

—AND—

# GLASS WARE

In town, and at prices which cannot fail to suit.

 Call and see that new line of Glass Ware—Latest thing out.

N. P. NOBLE.

Now is the time to

# BUY GOODS CHEAP

Having just taken account of S I have picked out many goods that will be sold I than Cost, to Close. Just look at some

# Bargains

1 Lot of Dress Goods, been selling for Marked down, to close out, at 12½c.

1 lot of Dress Goods, been selling or Marked down, to close, at 18c.

1 lot all wool Dress Goods, been selling 30c.; marked down, to close, at 22c.

Dress Flannels, been selling for 25 ce now selling for 22½c.

Flannels and Woolens at COST.

# BOOTS & SHOES, MARKED DO

Marked down to reduce stock. If you want to buy cheap, now is the time. 1 lot Beaver Boots for \$1.50; been selling for 2.50.

# Tea, T! Tea

1 lot of Tea for 25c.

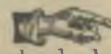
1 lot of Tea for 30c.

1 lot of Tea for 35c.

1 lot of Tea for 40c.

1 lot of Tea for 50

These Teas are 10 cents less on a pot than they can be bought for elsewhere in Phillips. will save money by buying your Tea out of this new

 Remember—the whole stock marked down, to close. Call and look and get price goods.

Motto—"Lower than the Lowest." member I sell goods only for CASH.

B. F. HAYDEN, No. 2 Beal Block, Phillips, M



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Communications.

A Little More about the Lakes in other Days.

Mr. Moore.—Speaking of centennials, must be within a score of a hundred years ago since Deacon Luther Hoar and his brave, excellent wife left Avon to make their home on the north shore of Lake Ocquossoc. It was in the winter and their household goods were carried upon a handsled, as was also one of the children. All the rest walked. At one stage of the journey the youngster, supposed to be upon the handsled, was missing, whereupon the anxious parents retraced their steps until they found the lost darling where it had fallen unobserved from the sled. When the emigrants reached their destination they found the poor Indian had been there before them and appropriated a little crop of grain and potatoes upon which the family had expected to subsist until more could be grown. This was embarrassing, but Deacon Luther and his family, making the best of the situation, kept the wolf of hunger from the door by "ground nuts," (a succulent wild tuber) fish and game, especially cross-bill birds, which swarmed tamely about the cabin and allowed themselves to be knocked over with sticks. These little birds frequented this region for many years, but after a while became very rare. Within the memory of the writer they were plentiful at the Lakes, and one of Deacon Hoar's sons acquired considerable local celebrity by devouring twenty-four of them at one sitting. Deacon Hoar was an amiable, urbane gentleman of the old school, and a large family of children and grandchildren have inherited his sterling qualities, although some of them have dropped the name of their ancestors. He died at a good old age, and lies under the turf of his old farm overlooking the lake. Near him sleeps Mr. Toothaker, another pioneer of the region, from Bowdoinham, and father of the late William and Abner Toothaker of Phillips. Among other pioneers were a Mr. Dill, who did not stay long, Mr. Quimby, (grandfather

of Charles V. and the late Daniel Quimby,) Mr. Ross, (grandfather of Jesse, Samuel and Abram Ross) and others.

The next principal epoch in the history of the Lakes was the advent of James Rangeley and family, of Leeds, England. Mr. Rangeley had become proprietor of "No 3, Range 2, west of Bingham's purchase" and came to enjoy and increase the estate. A few squatter sovereigns objected and threatened the old man with bodily harm, but he prepared himself for defence with arms and dogs, and the only violence that befell him was getting shot in effigy. The rough drawing of a man on his south door was one night perforated by a bullet. Rangeley, having plenty of money, expended it liberally in a villa on the north side of the lake and in grist and lumber mills at the outlet. They were all fine in their day, but scarcely a trace of them remains on the old sites. The mansion house survives, but has been removed to Rangeley village. Fifty years ago the pine of the region was made into lumber at the Rangeley mills and thence shipped marketward by a great flat boat which plied between the mills and the head of the lake. Going to the mills was either by horseback, by boat, or on the ice; but there came a time, after the departure of Rangeley, when the mills fell into ruins and the Lake people were forced to carry their grists to Madrid and Phillips. This inconvenience was afterward partly obviated by a gristmill on the outlet of Long Pond, and before that Joseph Hoar had built a sawmill near his house at the east end of the lake. Rangeley was a benefactor of the people in his region, but a born aristocrat, and was doubtless quite in his element as a Virginia slave holder and tobacco planter, which he afterward became. Z. T. H.

A Visit to a Madrid Mill.

The mills of Mr. Scott Hodgkins are located on the Sandy River, at Madrid village, which appears to be a thriving little place filled with sober, industrious people. In one apartment of Mr. Hodgkins mill are a board circular saw, clap-board machine, shingle machine, cutting off saw, and two circular saws, for sawing birch for spools and pail handles; also these last saws are used for sawing poplar into box boards, though much of his poplar is sawed with his board circular.

The two birch saws when tended by two men, will each convert seven or eight cords of wood into spool timber of one and one-fourth inches square, in a day of ten hours. We remained some time in this room, watching the workmen. No word was spoken by any of them while the saws were running. The men who received the finished timber from the saw with practical eye decided at a glance what was first and what was second quality, and placed each in its proper place, to be tied up in bunches ready for market by other workmen. In another room are machines for boring, turning and polishing pail handles. This branch of the business also includes

a dry-house, located at a distance from the mill and connected with it by a railroad, on which a hand-car is run. Several ladies are employed in this room packing pail handles in boxes ready for market. Your correspondent (what evil genius prompted him) tried his skill at packing handles. He was ignominiously beaten. The nimble fingers of Mr. Hodgkins, female help easily packed two boxes to his one.

We passed out the yard. The supply of timbers seemed to be ample, and of excellent quality. Mr. Hodgkins, policy is to retain his workmen when once employed as long as may be, and to keep each at the same kind of work, in order to secure the benefit of whatever skill may be acquired by practice. With the good water power which he has, we hope and believe that his enterprise will be a success.

In proof of the benefit these mills have already been to the vicinity, we mention the fact that within three months last past, ten sewing machines have been bought by families one member or more of which is employed in these mills, or in hauling timber to them for sale.

Mr. Hodgkins is a total abstainer from everything that intoxicates including cider and by kind reasoning endeavors to inculcate like principles in his workmen: and no man works harder than he himself.

ONSER. ER.

Food for Thought

DEAR PHONO:—Occasionally the writer in the course of his general reading, comes across an item of interest which he thinks many of your readers may not see and which might be of interest. He yields to the temptation, many times felt, to give in a condensed form the following:—

Prof. Atwater, of Agricultural College, Conn., has deduced from the many analyses and investigations of Chemists, facts, showing the comparative value of fish, flesh and fowl, as articles of food. Many will be surprised at its conclusions. They are directly contrary to many received notions. As a basis, he takes medium beef—neither fat nor lean—as having a nutritive value of 100. He puts fat pork, 116, smoked beef at 146, smoked ham at 157, common beef 91.3, mutton 86.6, butter 124, cheese 159, hens eggs 72.2, fresh mackerel 106, cod the same, canned salmon 107, salt mackerel 111, oysters 21.8, lobsters 50.3. One point of interest is, that what is cheapest, is most nourishing. The vast consumption of American cheese in England, among the laboring classes, shows that they have learned by experience one point contained in the above. Facts are stubborn things, whether they accord with our practice or not. H.

Samuel Blyther, in the employ of the Bodwell Granite Co., at Hallowell, was crushed to death, Monday, by a block of granite falling against him. He was 45 years of age, and leaves a wife and three children.

An enricher of the blood and purifier of the system; cures lassitude and lack of energy; such is Brown's Iron Bitters.

**WHAT** WILL convince you of the wonderful curative properties combined in Hood's SARSAPARILLA, if the remarkable cures that have been effected by its use fail to impress upon your mind this repeatedly proven fact? Thousands are using it, and all declare that it is a medicine possessing **WILL** ing all and even more than we claim for it. My friend, if you are sick or in that condition that you cannot call yourself either sick or well, go and get a bottle of Hood's SARSAPARILLA, and realize yourself how this medicine **CONVINCE** hits the right spot, and puts all the machinery of your body into working order.

From the Registrar of Deeds for Middlesex County, Northern District.

LOWELL, MASS.  
MESSRS. C. I. HOOD & Co.: Gentlemen—It affords me much pleasure to recommend HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA. My health has been such that for some years past I have been obliged to take a tonic of some kind in the spring, and have never found anything that hit my wants as your Sarsaparilla. It tones up my system, purifies my blood, sharpens my appetite, and seems to make me over. Respectfully yours,  
J. P. THOMPSON.

One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's SARSAPARILLA in the window, and I got a bottle. After she had been taking it a week she had a rousing appetite, and it did her everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested."

**Hood's Sarsaparilla.**  
Sold by all druggists. Price \$1 a bottle, or six bottles for \$5. C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

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**THE GREAT CURE**  
FOR  
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As it is for all diseases of the **KIDNEYS, LIVER AND BOWELS.**

It cleanses the system of the acrid poison that causes the dreadful suffering which only the victims of Rheumatism can realize.

**THOUSANDS OF CASES**  
of the worst forms of this terrible disease have been quickly relieved, in a short time **PERFECTLY CURED.**

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has had wonderful success, and an immense sale in every part of the Country. In hundreds of cases it has cured where all else had failed. It is mild, but efficient, **CERTAIN IN ITS ACTION**, but harmless in all cases.

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As it has been proved by thousands that

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Always cures **BILIOUSNESS, CONSTIPATION, PILES** and all **FEMALE** Diseases.

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(Will send the dry post-paid.) BOSTON, VT.

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